

### Year's Activities Open for Torrance PTA Council

"A Parents Prayer," read by the president, Mrs. A. C. Turner, provided the inspirational message for the monthly meeting of Torrance Council PTA, held Wednesday morning of last week in St. Andrew's parish house.

Mrs. Gle Ross was ratified as magazine chairman and Mrs. K. N. Hall as parliamentarian.

PTA units of all Torrance schools were represented and interesting reports were submitted by the following presidents: Mrs. G. J. Derouin, Fern Avenue; Mrs. W. A. Wright, Perry School; Mrs. Raymond Hole, Seaside; Mrs. M. B. Millar, Torrance Elementary; Mrs. Grover C. Van Deventer, Torrance High; Mrs.

### VACATIONERS

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Rusk, Roy Lee and Larry, of 1319 W. 221st street, have been enjoying three weeks vacation in Oregon, Washington, and Western Canada.

R. T. McNulty, Walteria; and Mrs. R. M. McBee, North Torrance.

Highlights of the program included the Community Chest film, "Doubting Thomas," and "Pa," a skit featuring Mrs. Jerry Bronson and Mrs. Patty Muir, given to stimulate interest in the California Parent Teacher magazine.

### Nativity Parish Arranges Variety Program for 1st

Plans under way for a variety program sponsored by Nativity Parish scheduled for 8 p. m. Wednesday, November 1, in Parish Hall.

The public is cordially invited. There will be no admission charge.

The show will feature local talent and will be opened with a guitar ensemble, "The Island Serenaders," under direction of Paul Sternagle. Piano, accordion and saxophone selections, tap dancing, impersonations, skits and

songs will follow.

Scheduled to appear on the diversified program are Jeannine Colombo, Frank Algarne, Roderick and Edward Bernardin, Grace and Edward Lafferty, Lawrence Greninger, Nativity Girl Scout Troop 610, Diane Powers, Joan Thornton, Patty Dunmyer, Shirley Moody, Antoinette Leo, Connie Kulp, Terry McIntier, June Johnstone, Joseph E. Thomas, Mrs. Donald French, Miss Imelda Anton, and others.

### Mrs. Schroeder Home From Nebraska Visit

Mrs. Walter Schroeder of 26235 Ozone avenue, Harbor City, returned home last week from Bloomfield, Nebraska where she attended funeral services for her father, George Rickers. Receiving word of his death Sept. 1, she left immediately for Nebraska to attend services and then remained for several weeks to visit with relatives there.

Besides Mrs. Schroeder in the southland he is survived by a son, Henry Rickers of Long Beach.

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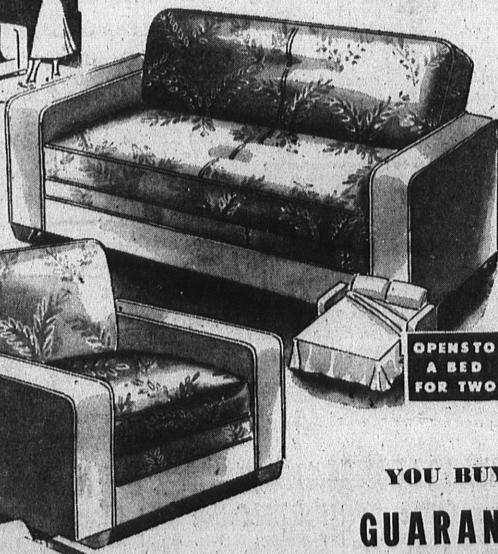
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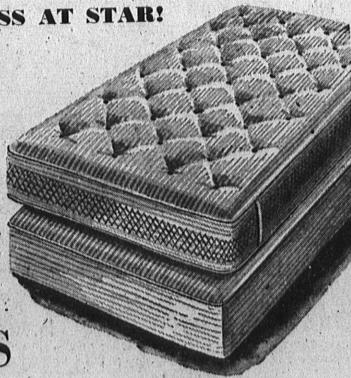
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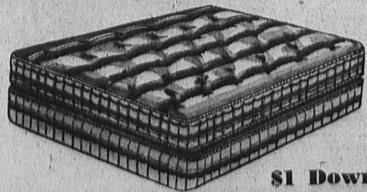
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### DeMolay Mothers Install Officers in Gramercy Home

Officers who will serve DeMolay Mothers Circle during 1950-51 were installed at a dinner meeting Tuesday evening at 1753 Gramercy avenue.

Mrs. Paul Findley, retiring president as installing officer seated the new officers, presenting each with a beautiful corsage.

The vest-colored corsages were the handwork of Mmes Marvin Hartley and William Scholl. Seated were Mrs. Homer Morgan, president; Mrs. Frank J. Norris, and Mrs. Howard Bowers, vice presidents; Mrs. William Scholl, secretary; and Mrs. R. L. Swartz, treasurer. Beautiful handkerchiefs were Mrs. Findley's gifts to her board.

Committee chairmen introduced by the new president include: Mrs. G. C. Mittan, ways and means; Mrs. Harry Abramson, entertainment; Mrs. Kenneth Thompson, historian; Mrs. Frank Schmidt, parliamentarian; and Mrs. Henry Berkowitz, publicity.

Next meeting will be held at 7:30 November 21 in Mrs. Morgan's home, 2119 Arlington avenue.

### Dinner Party at Fess Home Honors A.L.A. Past Officers

Complimenting the officers and chairmen who served with her in the Auxiliary of Bert S. Crossland Post 170, Mrs. Persia K. Fess, junior past president, entertained at dinner Friday evening at her home, 1729 Arlington avenue.

Fan Wilkes, Laura Dumont, Maymie Atwood, Gertrude Boyle, Clara Dunbar, Olivia Lee, Annie Olsen, Corlisa Reeve, Ella Robinson, Betty Sherwin, Teo Cunningham, and Merle Youngken, all of Torrance.

At the dining table, lovely with a centerpiece of pomegranates, autumn leaves, and berries arranged in wooden bowls, places were arranged for Alice Thompson and Mabel Williams, Lomita; Dorothy Ross, San Pedro; Muriel Whiting, Roxie Sleeth, Ada Siegfried, Daisy Watson.

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